

DETAILED ACTION

SUPPLEMENTAL EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. The previous Examiner's amendment mailed 03/23/2009 has been vacated. The following Examiner's amendment will replace all previous actions.
2. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it **MUST** be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Frank C. Eisenschenk on March 26, 2009.

The application has been amended as follows: please see attached amended claim set.

3. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: All previous rejections are withdrawn in view of Applicants amendments to the claims filed on 12/15/2008. The claimed deposited antibody is free of the prior art. All deposit assurances have been met (see Declaration filed 12/15/2008). Examiner has requested rejoinder of method claims 46 and 49-51. Claims 41-46, 49-51, 63, 64, 66-75, 77-82 are Allowable.
4. Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

5. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to MEERA NATARAJAN whose telephone number is (571)270-3058. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday, 9:30AM-7:00PM, ALT. Friday. EST.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Larry Helms can be reached on 571-272-0832. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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